



April 17, 2003

Mr. Dan Gorman  
KGNC AM/FM  
PO Box 710  
Amarillo, TX 79189

Dear Dan:

Thank you for participating in this year's Golden Nail Awards Gala. We appreciate you taking the time out of your busy schedule to attend the brunch, rehearsal, and gala.

We have received many compliments regarding the program. It ran so smoothly and allowed everyone to have time to attend the wonderful symphony concert.

Again, we appreciate your strong commitment to the Golden Nail Awards and to the arts in the community.

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. Richard McElreath, Chair  
2003 Golden Nail Awards

Becky Zenor, Vice President  
Quality of Life Council

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April 22, 2003

Mary Lyn Haley  
KGNC FM P.O. Box 710  
Amarillo, TX 79189

Dear Mary Lyn,

The Honeycrust Ham promotion for the MS walk was a great success! We sold over 1480 sandwiches, which is the NEW RECORD ! On behalf of the staff and the board of trustees I wanted to thank you for the great remote at the Honeycrust Ham promo. We sold enough sandwiches to make \$1112.00 for the MS Walk!! We really appreciate all the help that you give us. Every dollar that we raise brings us closer to a cure for multiple sclerosis.

Your support of the MS Walk, the BEEFaTHON, and our other great fundraisers is greatly appreciated. The money generated by our fundraisers, along with the great public support allows us to provide needed services for the more than 640 people with MS and their families who live in our service area.

Sincerely,

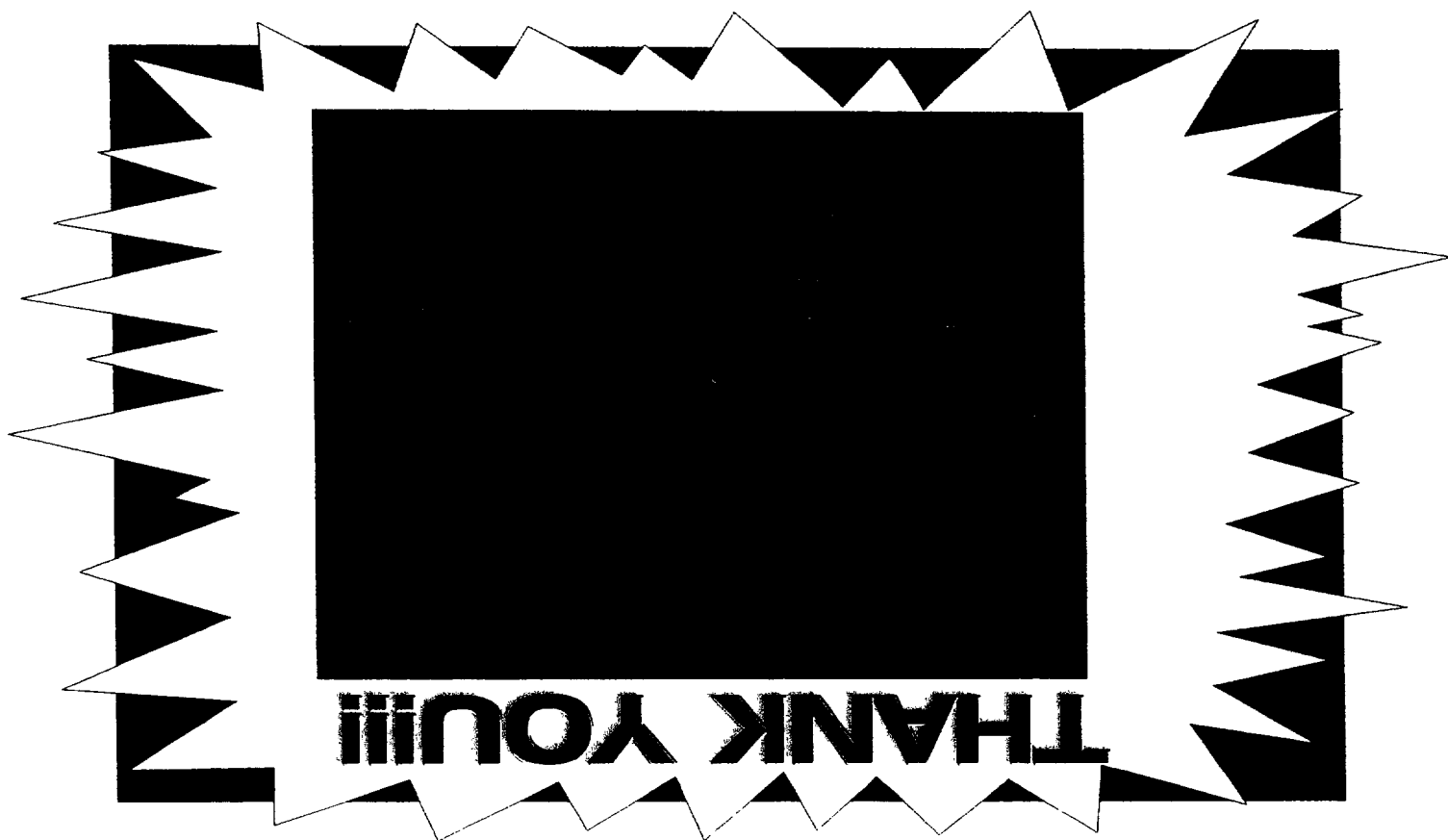
Jeri Farris  
Division Manager

KGNC AM 710,  
Thank you for your donations and support  
for the tri-state Ag mechanics show. We  
appreciate the \$300 cash donation,

Morgan Robison  
Clarendon FFA

Dear KGNC AM 710,  
Thanks for the cash. I hope you'll  
continue to support the fair.

Chase T. FFA



Dear Dan Gorum,

My name is Cara Collins and I want to say thank you for the special newspaper. I am so glad you could do those things for us. I want to be a volunteer when I turn 11 years old.

Sincerely,

Cara Collins

Dear Newspaper Sponsors,

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for sponsoring the special edition of the Amarillo Globe-News. The reach out...volunteer section of the paper was used in a collaboration of our kindergarten and fourth grade class here at Olsen Park Elementary. We discussed the meaning of volunteering and the importance of volunteering. Each of our children then told the group about what they could do in their own neighborhood. Each child was given their own copy of the newspaper to then take home and share with their families. Due to your generous donations we have this opportunity to bring this important message into our classrooms. Thank you!

Sincerely,

*Mrs. Nikki Bass*  
*Mrs. Beverly Wilson*

Mrs. Nikki Bass (4<sup>th</sup> grade)

Mrs. Beverly Wilson (Kindergarten)

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Dear Dan Gora-  
am, my name  
is Brooke and  
I want to say  
thank you  
for the Special  
newspapers.





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April 24, 2003

Ms. Mary Lynn Halley  
KGNC  
3505 Olsen  
Amarillo, Texas 79109

Dear Ms. Halley,

Thank you so much for generously donating your time to do a live remote for Camp Fire USA's Absolutely Incredible Kid Day Event. We appreciate everything that you do for us.

Camp Fire USA's mission is to positively impact the development of children through community-based programs. Many children in the Amarillo area benefit from services that Camp Fire USA is able to offer.

We are grateful for people like yourself who share our goal of developing caring, confident youth and future leaders.

Thank you again for your support and generosity.

Sincerely,

Cindy Dickerson  
Development Director  
ddcampfireusa@arn.net



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May 5, 2003

KGNC Radio  
Dan Gorman  
3505 Olsen Blvd.  
Amarillo, TX 79106

Dear Mr. Gorman:

The Amarillo Education Foundation's board of directors would like to thank you for your generous contribution to our *2003 Walk for Education*. Your help will ensure our success in meeting our mission of improving the quality of public education for the young people of Amarillo, through a granting process that provides funds beyond Amarillo Independent School District's normal operating budget. During the difficult financial times for education, your help is more important than ever before.

Because of all of the generous contributions we received, we raised \$12,600 to help cover the majority of costs for the black duffel bags that will be given to each student who raises \$12 or more. This is a tremendous benefit to our Foundation, because most of the money raised during the *Walk* at each school, will go directly to grants for teachers in AISD in 2004, instead of covering the cost of the bags.

Our *Walk for Education* began May 1 and will run through June 5 at various schools across Amarillo. If you would like to attend a *Walk*, feel free to call our office for more information at 356-4889 and we can share the schedule with you.

This year the Foundation awarded 37 grants totaling \$36,886.18 to teachers at 22 different schools in AISD. This is the largest amount of grants we have ever been able to award and hope to give more in 2004.

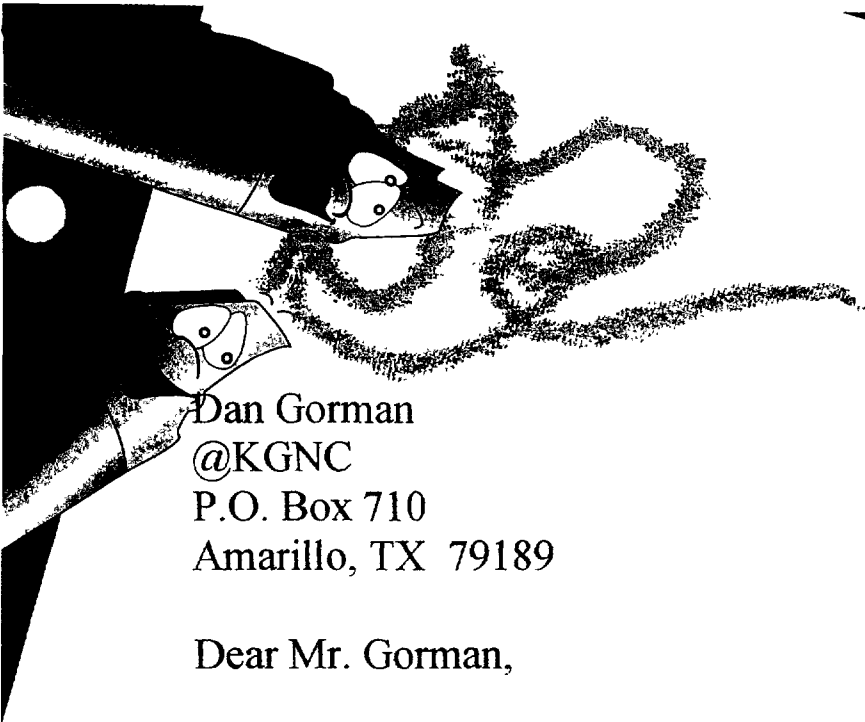
Please keep the Amarillo Education Foundation on your list of organizations to support. Thank you for helping to improve public education for the children of our future.

Sincerely,

*Linda Walton*  
Linda Walton, Chairperson

Kris David, Co-Chair

*Kris David*



April 28, 2003

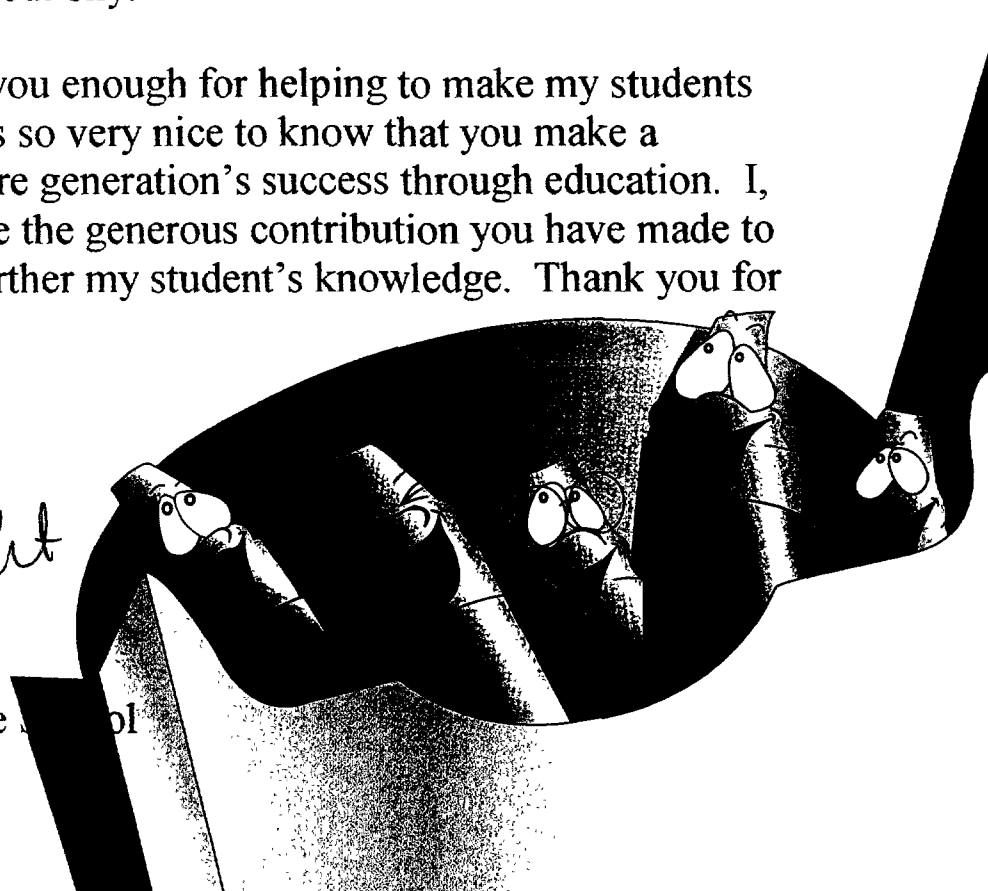
Dan Gorman  
@KGNC  
P.O. Box 710  
Amarillo, TX 79189

Dear Mr. Gorman,

I would like to thank you and KGNC broadcasting for purchasing newspapers for our school. I enjoy sharing the newspapers with my students. Even though I do not use them everyday, it is a wonderful to know I have them to use. I use them at the beginning of the year to show students how everything in life is tied to Science. I rely on these papers for weather information in the spring as we study maps, weather phenomenon, and stars. The students are amazed to find out how the horoscope section is related to the stars in our sky.

I cannot thank you enough for helping to make my students more successful. It is so very nice to know that you make a difference in the future generation's success through education. I, personally, appreciate the generous contribution you have made to help me as I try to further my student's knowledge. Thank you for thinking of us!!!

Sincerely,



*Cristi Bright*

Cristi Bright  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade Science  
Horace Mann Middle School

**Horace Mann Middle School  
610 N. Buchanan  
Amarillo, Texas 79107  
(806) 371-5600**

April 30, 2003

Dan Gorman  
KGNC  
P.O. Box 710  
Amarillo, Texas 79189

Dear Mr. Gorman ,

Thank you for supplying Horace Mann Middle School with newspapers. As part of my job as school secretary, I arrange the substitutes' class schedules and make sure the teacher has left assignments for their class. This is not always possible so I frequently give the substitutes newspapers to use in the class for a day's project. Regardless of what the subject is, they can always find something that pertains to the class and something of interest to the students. If the teacher does have adequate plans, the substitute is always thrilled to have a copy to read while the classes do their work.

As far back as I can remember, the first thing my parents did every morning was to go out and get the newspaper to have with their coffee. They would share the news with us as we had our breakfast. This is something I carried on to my children who now share the paper with my grandchildren. Many of the students in our area come from homes where they don't have access to a newspaper or any type of daily area news. I think it is very important for them to not only learn to use a newspaper, but also to enjoy the newspaper. I thank my parents for instilling this in me and my siblings. I thank you for giving us this opportunity to instill it in our students.

We appreciate your support of our students. Thank you, again.

Sincerely,



Marla Lockhart  
Secretary

Grady Mendoza  
Mama Middle School  
610 N. Buchanan  
Amarillo TX 79107  
Date 05/09/03

Dan Gorman  
K&NC

P.O. Box 710

Amarillo TX 79189

Dear Mr. Gorman:

This is Maria Middle School, grade 6.  
This is an opportunity to tell you  
Thank you very much. We ~~appreciate~~  
all of these who were there.  
People like you are very special  
in the world around us. Our  
Students are very happy for our  
so kind and thank you.

Friend,

Grady Mendoza

Heather Steinshouer  
mann middle school  
610 N Tadianan  
Anna, TX 76807

Dan Corman  
HC, NC  
P.O. Box 710  
Anna, TX 76809

Dear Mr. Corman

My name is Heather Steinshouer. I am a 6th grade student at Horace Mann Middle School. I'm grateful for the discretion of getting to read to the newspaper. Thank you very much to know what's going on in the whole world around us. You don't know how much I value people like you who furnish us with newspapers. You are very special to our community, faculty, students, and friends. Thank you Dan Corman for your help to our world.

Sincerely,

Heather Steinshouer





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May 12, 2003

KGNC FM  
Dan Gorman  
3505 Olsen  
Amarillo, TX 79109

Dear Dan Gorman,

The 2003 MS Walks were a great success. The pledges are still rolling in, and we are gearing up for the Dumas Walk in September. Everyone who donated or volunteered should share this year's success. Thank you for donating publicity and sound system for the MS Walks. We could not have the MS Walk without the help of a committed community!

The Panhandle Division of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society continues to serve almost 700 families dealing daily with the unpredictable effects of multiple sclerosis. We are offering more hope than ever before, and more is being spent on research than in any other time in history. That is hope for the 350,000 people in the US who have MS, and the person newly diagnosed. Your support will help us to accomplish our mission and *end the devastating effects of multiple sclerosis.*

Please help us with keeping our records updated by completing the enclosed In-Kind Donation form, return a copy to our office and keep a copy for your tax records. Please call me at the office if you have any questions, 806-468-8005.

We look forward to greater successes in 2004!

Sincerely,

D'Wan Grimes  
Development Specialist





# Texas Panhandle War Memorial

C/O PETE GARCIA  
7008 CANTERBURY PLACE  
AMARILLO, TX 79109

May 18, 2003

KGNC  
Mr. Tim Butler  
3505 Olsen Blvd.  
Amarillo, TX 79109

Re: Radio coverage at the ar show.

Dear Tim:

The Texas Panhandle War Memorial Board would like to thank you and KGNC for the coverage of the "Show and Shine" Car Show, Saturday May 17, 2003.

We appreciate you, Mary Lyn, and KGNC for being there to support our project to honor our veterans.

Sincerely,

Pete Garcia, President  
TPWMFI

**'IN HONOR OF ALL VETERANS BOTH PAST AND PRESENT THAT  
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May 14, 2003

Mr. Dan Gorman  
KGNC  
3505 Olsen Blvd #117  
Amarillo, TX 79109

Dear Mr. Gorman:

Thank you for your support of the United Way of Amarillo & Canyon through lending Susie Vance from your company to serve as a Loaned Executive for the 2003 Campaign. Your leadership in our community and through the United Way Campaign is truly appreciated.


The Loaned Executive (LE) Program is the core of United Way's campaign effort. Without the talented professionals from major Amarillo and Canyon businesses, including yours, the annual campaign could not be successful.

In June, you will receive an invoice for the training fee. If you have questions about the Loaned Executive Program, please call Tosha Merritt at United Way at 806-376-6359 or email [tosha@unitedwayama.org](mailto:tosha@unitedwayama.org). We appreciate your commitment to success in 2003 Campaign!

Best regards,



Dean Morrison  
Loaned Executive Chairman

DAN,  
THANK YOU SO MUCH!  


# **NKF** National Kidney Foundation® Of West Texas, Inc.

May 12, 2003

Mr. Dan Gorman  
PO Box 710  
Amarillo, TX 79189

Dear Dan:

On behalf of the National Kidney Foundation, I would like to express our appreciation to you for your generous support and playing in the **First Annual Gene Messer/ Cadillac Invitational Golf Tournament**. The tournament, aside from some slight weather interference, was a huge success thanks to you. We learned a few things and next years tournament will be even bigger and better!

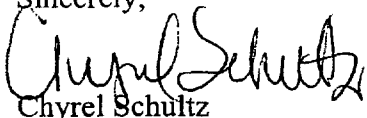
PNB Financial and Don Handley, Sr. V.P. and Board of Director member of our local Kidney Chapter, want you and your team members to have the enclosed photo as a memory of the event.

The NKF of West Texas, a non-profit organization (tax ID#75-2460183), is dedicated to preventing kidney and urinary tract diseases, improving the health and well-being of individuals and families affected by these diseases, and increasing the availability of all organs for transplantation. It conducts programs in patient services, as well as programs in research, professional education, community services, and organ donation. The work of the NKF is funded entirely by public donation.

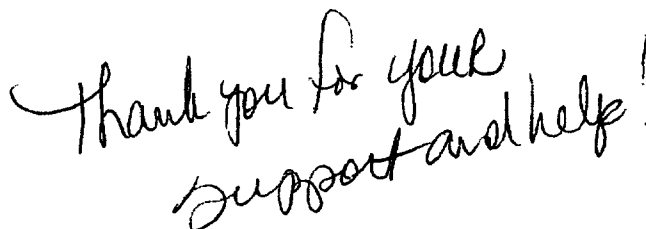
Again, the NKFWT is most appreciative of you and your support of this event. If you are interested in serving on the committee for next years event, or volunteering in other projects of the NKFWT, please feel free to call me.

*See you next year!*

Sincerely,



Chyrel Schultz  
Amarillo District Coordinator



**Committee Members**

David Moore  
Kip Frazer  
Don Handley

Carl Wilson  
Merritt Vaughn  
Gordon Conley

**Honorary Chairperson:**  
Norm Saunders



12 May 2003

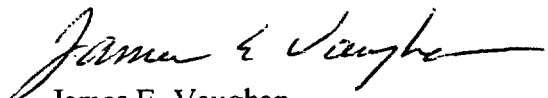
Mary Lyn Halley  
PSA Director  
KGMC - FM and AM

Dear Ms. Halley;

I did not see you again before leaving Amarillo last week, but I wanted to let you know how much the opportunity for me to talk on your radio show was appreciated. You must have received some telephone calls because a couple of people have called here and stated they heard me on the radio.

I told my boss how well everything seemed to go and that I may get another opportunity to visit with you in the future. I will stop by to say hello on my next trip to Amarillo. Thanks again.

Sincerely;

  
James E. Vaughan  
TSgt, USAF Reserve





*With warm appreciation and a special  
line to show.*

*that your thoughtfulness will be recalled  
more often than you know.*

*Dan,  
Thanks for all your help on the  
Grand Opening of the Visitor Information Center!*

*Jan*

*Mindy Lydy*

*Kelly*

*Darlene*

*[Signature]*



June 1, 2003

*The Members of the Amarillo, Potter, Randall Law Enforcement Benefit Fund and myself would like to thank you for your contribution to the Second Annual Flint Robbins Memorial Chili Cook Off, that we had on March 1, 2003. This Chili Cook Off, would not have been successful had we not received support like yours. With your support we were able to have a fantastic Chili Cook Off, and continue a permanent benefit fund. This year, we received over \$6,000.00 for the fund.*

*If you were not aware what the fund is for, or the organization's purpose, it was established as a Non-Profit, Non-Union, Non-Political Organization consisting of volunteer Law Enforcement Officers and civilians. This Benefit Fund, recognized by the Texas Secretary of State, and a 501 C(3) organization, is governed by a board consisting of 12 officers and 3 civilians. Funds are available to any law enforcement officer with the Amarillo Police Department, Potter County Sheriff's Department and the Randall County Sheriff's Department. It is for the officers and their immediate families who are in need due to major medical illness or other catastrophic events.*

*This year with your help, so far four families were helped in a time of need. They were 3 APD families, and 1 Randall SO family.*

*Our goal this fall is to be associated with the United Way, where contributors can deposit their fair share directly to the Benefit Fund. This will allow us to give larger and more donations to those in need.*

*Your donation, whether it was a gift, money, or other services was greatly appreciated by myself and the other members of the APR. We plan to continue this annual event and hope that you will join us again next year. The event is already in the planning stages to be bigger and better. Again, "Thank You" very much and if you need anything please contact me.*

Richard Weathers  
APR President



June 11, 2003

Dear Contributor,

Thank you for your support of the American Cancer Society's 2003 Relay For Life of the Amarillo unit through your generous gift. This is a great way to support many of our cancer survivors and help to relieve the tremendous burden of cancer. Relay was a wonderful evening and we achieved a great deal of cancer education and have numerous teams that are excited and are preparing for next year's event. I'm very excited about the additional efforts ACS is making to contact additional community and at-risk groups.

For more information on the American Cancer Society and its programs and services, please visit our website at [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org) or call our National Cancer Information Center at 1-800-ACS-2345.

The American Cancer Society is the nationwide community-based volunteer health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major healthy problem by preventing cancer, saving lives, and diminishing suffering from cancer through research, education, advocacy, and service.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Amy McKinley".

Amy McKinley  
Executive Director  
Amarillo Cluster 83

AM:tp



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**VOLUNTEER!**

July 5, 2003

Dan Gorman  
KGNC Radio  
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Amarillo, TX 79189

Dear Dan,

I just wanted to thank you and your staff for everything you did to make this year's July 4<sup>th</sup> KGNC and Globe-News fireworks celebration a success.

Russ Johnson did a great job as the firing site coordinator and John Wolfe at the sound system board. I also appreciate Mary Lyn and Tim for the great job they did on the prerecorded show. I know that listeners throughout our area enjoyed the simulcast of the program.

The t-shirts, caps, and gift certificates were a great addition to our list of door prizes as well.

Dan, I value your friendship and business partnerships. We all appreciate everything you do for our community and region.

Thanks again!

Sincerely,

Jo Tyler Bagwell



# THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



KGNC,

The Groom High School After Graduation Party committee would like to thank you for your support and donations to our Drug Free/Alcohol Free Party following our high school graduation. There were 37 Groom High School students in attendance. The students enjoyed entertainment by a ventriloquist and a professional comedian along with parent skits and the students entertaining with karaoke music. They also played volleyball and had water balloon wars. Sandwiches, chips, dips, brownies, and cokes were served during the event. Door prizes were presented to each Groom High School student at the end of the party.

Thanks so much for the 30 CD's donation. Your support is truly appreciated. The kids had a great party and it would not have been possible without your help. THANKS!

Groom High School After Graduation Party

Nila Burgin  
Chairman



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reach out...



**VOLUNTEER!**

August 7, 2003

Dan Gorman  
KGNC  
P.O. Box 710  
Amarillo, TX 79189

Dear Dan,

Your continued support of the Reach Out... Volunteer program is much appreciated and helps us to daily recognize those in the community who are making a difference through volunteerism.

Volunteer of the Day recognition is designed to acknowledge the "unsung hero". Many volunteers already have received well-deserved recognition for their efforts, but still there are some that have not been recognized for their generosity. This is where we need your help!

There may be someone very deserving who works in your company. Or, this person may be a family member, a neighbor, someone at your church or even yourself!

Enclosed is a short form for you or your volunteer nominee to fill out or visit our site on-line at amarillonet.com. Please feel free to make copies of the form and submit as many nominees as you wish. We ask that you or your nominee submit a photo with the form to be published on the front page of the paper. Sharing what they do and why can inspire others in the community to volunteer as well.

If you have any questions or suggestions, please call me at 806-345-3451. Thank you again for helping us to continue such a valuable and positive feature in our publication.

Sincerely,

  
Jo Tyler Bagwell

*Don't  
I'd love to see  
some of your employees  
on the front page!  
Call me with the  
names - I'll work  
out the details.*